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In response to the Office Communication mailed December 17, 2003, Applicants are submitting herewith a computer-readable Sequence Listing. The content of the sequence information recorded on the attached computer-readable Sequence Listing is identical to the paper copy of the Sequence Listing filed with this application on September 22, 2003. No new matter is added by the submission of the computer-readable sequence listing.

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